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WATERFOWL HEARINGS ANNOUNCED

Sportsmen and conservationists in the northeastern states will have an opportunity to attend hearings on the waterfowl situation in New York City and Washington, D. C. early in May, according to a special announcement by Albert M. Day, Director of the Fish and Wildlife Service. Both meetings will be open to the public.

The New York meeting will be held May 6 at 10:00 A.M. in the Grand Ballroom of the Hotel Shelton.

The Washington, D. C. meeting will be held May 8 at 10:00 A.M. in the Interior Department Auditorium.

At the opening of each conference Fish and Wildlife Service officials will outline the waterfowl situation and offer a suggested program. The meeting will then be opened to general forum discussions.

The first of the series of nation-wide waterfowl hearings will be held in Chicago April 30. Announcement of the times and places of meetings in Atlanta, New Orleans, San Antonio, San Francisco, Portland, Denver, St. Louis, and St. Paul will be made locally.

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